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THOUSANDS SEIZED RAID ON RADICALS

MORE THAN FOUR THOUSAND CAPTURED BY GOVERNMENT AGENTS IN DRIVE ON REDS.

By the Associated Press
WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—Arrests in the nation-wide raid on radicals last night and today had exceeded 4,500 at noon today it was estimated at the department of justice. More than half this number probably will be held for deportation, officials said.

Scores of parlor bolsheviks were among those arrested in the raids. These, it was admitted, may have to be dealt with under state laws. Assistant Attorney General Garvan, in charge of the raids, said more than 2,000 persons were held on "perfect cases" and that the raid promised to be not only the greatest in scope, but also the greatest in results of any in history.

In every city where the raiding machinery was set in motion, he said, success attended the efforts. Four thousand warrants were issued but the arrests exceeded that number by about 500.

Besides the 2,000 perfect cases, Mr. Garvan said, federal agents obtained sufficient evidence to justify the arrest of others.

In nearly two score cities, department of justice agents swooped down upon headquarters and other meeting places of radicals, arresting hundreds and taking records and radical literature. Among those taken into custody were men, regarded by the government as being ring leaders in the anarchistic propaganda. Other leaders are being sought.

Hamon Leading In Early Reports From Precincts

Early returns from the republican precinct meetings held last night show that Jake L. Hamon is leading in the race for national committeeman in Pontotoc county and has probably carried the county. He carried three out of the four wards in Ada, and secured the delegates from Dages, Roff, Fitzhugh and Dolberg.

Delegates to attend the county convention at Ada Friday, January 8, were elected from the various wards of Ada as follows: Ward 1, C. E. Cunningham and R. H. Gladwell; Ward 2, C. V. Gowing and John Huber; Ward 3, W. E. Heady and Lamb; Ward 4, J. M. Keltner and Fred Ford. Jack Kitchell was elected delegate from Dages. The meeting in the first ward of Ada developed into an interesting fight between the Hamon and McGraw forces. The Hamon following led by M. F. Manville, finally won over the McGraw contingent led by W. F. Schulte, by a vote of eleven to nine. Some confusion was caused in the third ward by the inability of some of the voters to find out where the meeting was being held.

The county convention will meet in Ada on Friday of next week at which time six delegates will be elected to represent the county at the district convention at Shawnee on January 16. Delegates will also be elected at that time to attend the state convention.

Abraham Rueff to Go Out of Pen on January 7, 1920

By the Associated Press
SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 3.—Allowing for good behavior credits, the penitentiary sentence of Abraham Rueff, political boss whose conviction was the outstanding feature of the famous San Francisco Municipal graft case, will expire January 7, 1920, according to records that have reached the governor's office at Sacramento.

"Abe" Rueff was sentenced in 1911 to serve fourteen years in prison. He was paroled in 1915 and since that time has conducted a real estate business here. He spent three years in jail here following his first indictment. In Rueff's trial, Francis J. Henry, chief of the prosecution counsel, was shot and seriously wounded by Morris Haas, a member of the jury venire. Haas subsequently killed himself in jail.

More than two billion passengers rode on all the New York car-lines during the fiscal year just ended. Of this number it is said that several got seasick—Tacoma Ledger.

Chicago Express: It seems certain that Jack Rans is going to do his best to help the boys stay on the water when they next swear off.

MAYOR HETRICK IS SHOT IN HIS ROOM

SHOOTING TOOK PLACE AT MAJOR'S HOME IN NEW ORLEANS SATURDAY NIGHT AND HE DIED TODAY

By the Associated Press
NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 3.—Major U. S. Hetrick, shot by an unidentified assailant in his home Saturday night, died early today.

Major Hetrick was shot in the head when he grappled with a man who rushed into his home apparently in search of another person. The intruder fired at close range and when his victim fell to the floor made his escape.

Physicians yesterday were hopeful that the man would recover, but last night his condition became worse, and he died early today.

Major Hetrick fastidiously maintained that the man who shot him was seeing another person, and that there was no mystery concerning the affair.

The major was a West Point graduate, a native of Kansas City Mo., and served as colonel in the national army during the war.

Mine Officials to Columbus

By the Associated Press
Columbus, Ohio.—John L. Lewis, acting president of the United Mine Workers of America and William Green, Secretary, with their office force from Indianapolis were expected to arrive here today in preparation for the opening here Monday of a special convention of miners.

The convention has been called to hear a report from officials of the Union upon the settlement of the recent coal strike.

Will Bring Bodies Home

By the Associated Press
PARIS, Jan. 3.—The French government has granted permission for the removal to the United States of the bodies of 20,000 American soldiers buried in France. The bodies to be removed are those buried in cemeteries outside the zone of the armies and do not include those gathered into the big American cemeteries in the army zones.

Kansas Miners Protest Law

By the Associated Press
PITTSBURGH, Kans., Jan. 3.—A protest to the Kansas legislature against the proposed court of industrial relations bill, adopted at a mass meeting of miners at Franklin, Kans., Thursday was given out today. The protest asserts that the bill threatens laboring men of Kansas with "A sanctified peonage." The action of Gov. Allen, the protest says, "is the climax of the attempted usurpation of the executive power." The protest says that "If this law passes, it will make it a crime to strike."

Normal Begins Monday

The normal school will resume its work, after the Christmas vacation, next Monday morning, the fifth instant, at 8:15. The school has had the longest vacation it has had for sometime at this time of the year. This was occasioned by the fuel shortage. However, the extra week will be made up by teaching six days a week. And this accounts for school on Monday. Teachers and students are returning from their vacation ready for work. Several new students reported today and the outlook for the new year is very gratifying.

LADIES AID TO MEET.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Broadway Christian church will meet with Mrs. L. T. Walters Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock for a business and social meeting. All ladies of the church are invited to attend and help plan the work for the coming year. 1-3-19.

BIRTHS

Born yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Hattox on East Main a baby girl.

Born this morning to Mr. and Mrs. Lucius Maxey a baby girl.

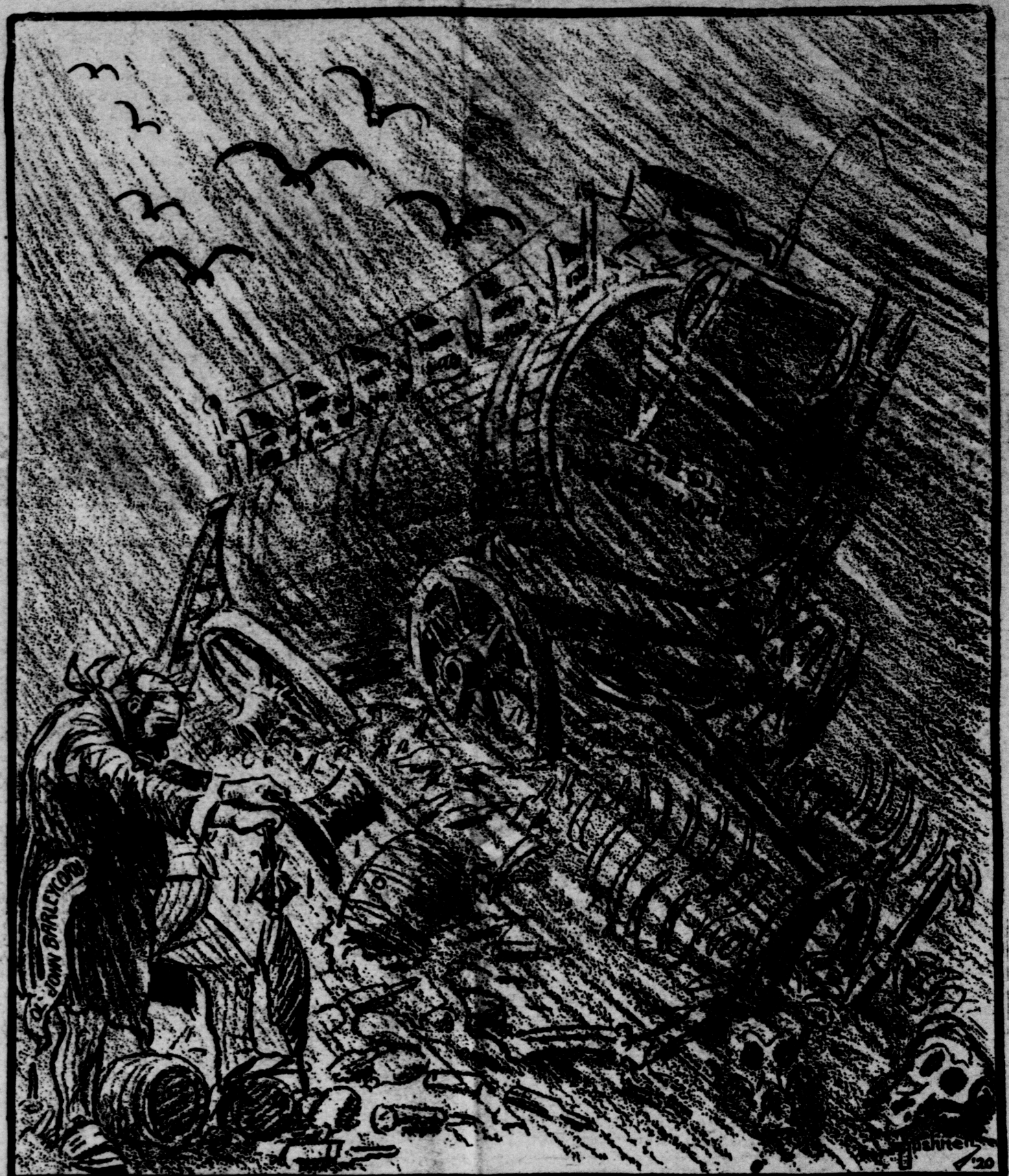
Those Holland papers that object to giving up Wilhelm Hohenzollern may think he will be a good asset in the tourist season.—Denver Rocky Mountain News.

The Roosevelt boys have started up a chain of coffee houses. We suppose young Ted is figuring on a third cup of coffee some time.—Columbia Record.

The new Labor party might add to its popularity among outsiders by adopting the slogan, "Let's all quit talking and go to work."—Topeka State Journal.

You have no idea how big the other fellow's troubles are.

DERELICTS—1920



Officers Arrest Three Citizens Liquor Charges

Three men were brought to Ada yesterday and lodged in the county jail on a charge of possessing too much intoxicating liquor. They were arrested near Pontotoc by Deputy C. W. Chandler and Marshall Gus Nebhut of Stonehill. The three men arrested are G. A. Talbot, J. H. McCaghen and T. J. McCaghen.

Marriage Licenses.

W. G. Anthony, 61, Fitzhugh, and Mrs. M. M. Saunders, 59, Roff. Virgil R. Gaston, 24, Ada, and Bessie Clapp, 22, Ada.

Anthony-Saunders.

W. G. Anthony of Fitzhugh and Mrs. M. M. Saunders of Roff were married at the court clerk's office in Ada yesterday. The ceremony was performed by Justice Anderson.

HE'S GOVERNOR OF AUSTRALIA



Sir Ronald Munro-Ferguson.

Sir Ronald Munro-Ferguson has been governor general of Australia since 1914. Before that he filled several positions that prepared him for this work, among others that of secretary to the Earl of Salisbury while the latter was secretary of foreign affairs. He is with a lady who is a member of the first family of Scotland.

LAST MINUTE NEWS

Financial Aid Extended
WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—The first move of the American government to aid financially in the reconstruction of Europe came today when the war corporation announced that it had practically made satisfactorily four loans aggregating \$17,000,000.

St. Louis Raiding Reds.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 3.—Forty-seven alleged radicals, thirty-two in St. Louis and twenty-five in East St. Louis were in the toils of the government agencies here today, according to an announcement from the federal agents. The raids are not completed, a number of persons being involved who were not included in the raids at all last night.

Two Arrests in Kansas.

PITTSBURGH, Kans., Jan. 3.—Two men were in the Crawford county jail today as a result of the nation-wide drive against radicals. Both men were arrested in the northern part of Crawford county, one last night at Ringo, and the other near Franklin this morning. No arrests have been made in Pittsburg. Federal authorities refused to give the names of those arrested.

Passenger Wreck Near St. Joe.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Jan. 3.—Five passenger coaches of the Chicago and Great Western rolled down an embankment near Weyht, Mo., early today and caused the death of one man and injuries to about fifty passengers. It is believed the wreck was caused by a broken rail.

The injured are being brought to St. Joseph. Several of them are so severely hurt that more deaths are expected.

Deneckine Is Overthrown.

LONDON, Jan. 3.—General Deneckine in Southern Russia has been overthrown and General Romanovsky has been chosen to replace him, as entire Bolshevik chief, according to a wireless dispatch from Moscow quoting advices from Paganov.

Florida After Reds

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Jan. 3.—Five alleged members of the Communist labor party have been arrested here and other arrests are to follow today, according to federal officers. Several women are being sought.

Raids Continue in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Jan. 3.—Agents of the department of justice early today continued their raids on radicals by arresting 21 men. It was announced that the total taken in the raids last night and this morning was 221. The government, it is said, will deport a majority of those in custody.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Fair tonight and Sunday. Not much change in temperature.

No Arrests Have Been Made For Killing Of Ragland

KONAWA, Jan. 3.—(Special.)—No arrests have been made in the murder case of Tom Ragland, whose dead body was found yesterday morning on the highway three miles south of town. The officers are working on several clues and arrests are expected.

The first impression that the killing was done because of Ragland's war activities has completely disappeared, the public generally now believing that he was killed by personal enemies and that the letters received by several citizens were written to throw the authorities off the right trail. No one here believes that the killing had any connection with the anti-draft troubles that occurred in this section of the state in 1917.

BECOMES BOSS OF LOUISVILLE CLUB



Joe McGraw.

Joe McGraw, former owner of the Louisville club, has been named as the new manager of the team.

OLD TIGER WILL SUMMON COUNCIL

CLEMENCEAU TO ISSUE AN INFORMAL CALL FOR FIRST MEETING OF LEAGUE COUNCIL.

By the Associated Press
PARIS, Jan. 3.—The informal call for the first meeting of the league of nations council will be issued by Premier Clemenceau, the supreme council decided today.

This call is regarded as a simple notification to enable the delegates to reach the appointed place in Paris in time for the meeting, formal notice of which it is still intended to have President Wilson issue, according to the present program.

It is pointed out in conference circles that it is immaterial who issued the informal notice and that even the formal notice is simply detail. The issuance of the formal notice devolves upon President Wilson by provision of the treaty of Versailles, but it is said in case of his inability to act in the matter, any other representative of the five principal powers forming the executive council of the league could issue the notice.

HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS LOSE TO SULPHUR

The Ada highschool girl basketball team lost last night to those of Sulphur on Sulphur's court by a score of 34-18. Our girls were handicapped in size and weight, but played an excellent game from start to finish, for out of the whole game they missed only four field goals. The referee was beyond reproach, being a former teacher of the Normal, a Mr. Swartz of Sulphur.

Owing to the difference in size our girls only had the ball six times in the first half, when their opponents run up the high score. In fact "Mutt" had nothing on their forwards. But regardless of their handicap our guards showed excellent work.

In the first half Alvie McLachlan threw two free goals, Bernice Roach two free and one field goal, and in the second half, Vivian Reed threw one field goal and the remaining points were made by Alys McLachlan.

The line-up is as follows:

First Half — Forwards: Bernice Roach, Alys McLachlan; guards, Ora Ewing, Grace Mooney; centers, Geneva Braly; second center, Ada Pennington.

Second Half—Same as the first, only Bernice Roach was F. center and Vivian Reed, forward. Substitutes were: Ruth Boggan and Vivian Reed.

A good time was had by all the girls and they reported that the Sulphur team treated them royally.

RED LEADER ARRESTED TODAY

By the Associated Press

MILWAUKEE, Jan. 3.—Parry Loeb, thirty-three years old, said to be the leader of the communist party, was arrested this morning at his home, while in the act of trying to destroy red literature. Loeb who is a Russian, is said to have been arrested in the Red revolution in Russia in 1915. He escaped from Siberia where he was sent to Japan and later made his way into the United States by Seattle, Washington.

Ada 20-Sulphur 26

The Ada highschool basketball boys were slightly outplayed last evening in the highschool gymnasium and lost to the Sulphur quintette, 20 to 26. Ada players, individually, were equal to the opponents, but the visitors did a bit better team work and shot goals with more precision.

The game was snappy and close throughout. It was anybody's game until the whistle blew. The first half ended 11 to 12 in favor of the visitors, and they had difficulty in keeping in the lead. It was in the last few minutes of play that they increased the margin big enough to make it safe.

Department After Martens.

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—Department of Justice agents announced today that they were examining the literature seized in the raids last night to determine whether Ludwig C. A. K. Martens, self-styled ambassador to the United States of the Russian soviet republic, was connected with the distribution of the communist propaganda in this country. If this connection is established, they said they had sufficient evidence to warrant his deportation. The senatorial committee investigating soviet activities will be notified of the result of the investigation.

Returned

Returned from the city of London, Mr. J. H. McGraw, manager of the Louisville club.

MORE THAN 4,000 REDS ROUNDED UP

THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE DRIVES IN LEADING CITIES RESULT IN BAGGING OF REDS.

By the Associated Press

CHICAGO, Jan. 3.—Reports from more than forty cities throughout the country early today showed that more than four thousand alleged radicals have been arrested in the department of justice drive which was begun last night at 9 o'clock. The cities are listed as follows:

New York City, 800; Detroit, 500; Chicago, 450; Jersey City, 410; Newark, 420; Philadelphia, 200; Rockford, Ill., 133; Nashua, 161; Buffalo, 136; Milwaukee, 98; Cleveland, 75; Trenton, 75; Manchester, 65; Boston, 57; Springfield, Mass., 65; Kansas City, Kan., 45; Worcester, Mass., 52; Lynn, Mass., 46; Wilkesbarre, 40; Patterson, 40; Berlin, New Hampshire, 40; Baltimore, 46; Lowell, 30; St. Louis, 16; Oakland, Calif., 10; New Haven, 21; Pittsburgh, 21; Portland, Ore., 20; Louisville, 20; Holy Oak, 20; Minneapolis, 17; Youngstown, 16; Des Moines, 16; Chicopee, 16; Bridgeport, 15; St. Paul, 10; Denver, 9; Omaha, 9; Lawrence, 8; Toledo, 8; Waterbury, 7; and East St. Louis, Ill., 6; total, 2,427.

Arrests reported singly or in groups in fewer than five probably will aggregate an additional one hundred to two hundred. In some instances federal officers have not or would not make reports on the number of persons arrested.

Three Stuck In Mayor's Court on Gambling Charge

Ed Price, better known as Goldie, Will Chance, a cleaner and presser, both colored, and Claude Owens, white, all stood trial in the mayor's court yesterday afternoon on a charge of gambling.

It seems that night before last night policemen Adair, Gother and Mathis broke down a door at the establishment of Price and Chance, where a cleaning and pressing establishment is operated by them on the north side, and found the three parties in question seated near a table on which was a deck of cards.

The officers testified that they had peeped through the keyhole of the door and saw money and cards upon the table. All three of the defendants were placed on the stand and testified that there was no gambling going on and that there was no money in evidence "Goldie" said he had been fumbling the cards but that there had been no game and no money bet.

In the absence of J. W. Dean, city attorney, Tal Crawford represented the city, while John Crawford appeared for the defendants. After hearing the testimony of both sides the mayor adjudged the defendants guilty and assessed each of them ten dollars and the costs. The case was appealed.

After the case was disposed of Attorney John Crawford was chided by some of his friends on the fact that while he is an experienced criminal lawyer with over twenty years practice at the bar he had no chance with his baby brother, who is not only young at the practice but who is young in years as well.

South America Can't Help Us In Matter of Sugar

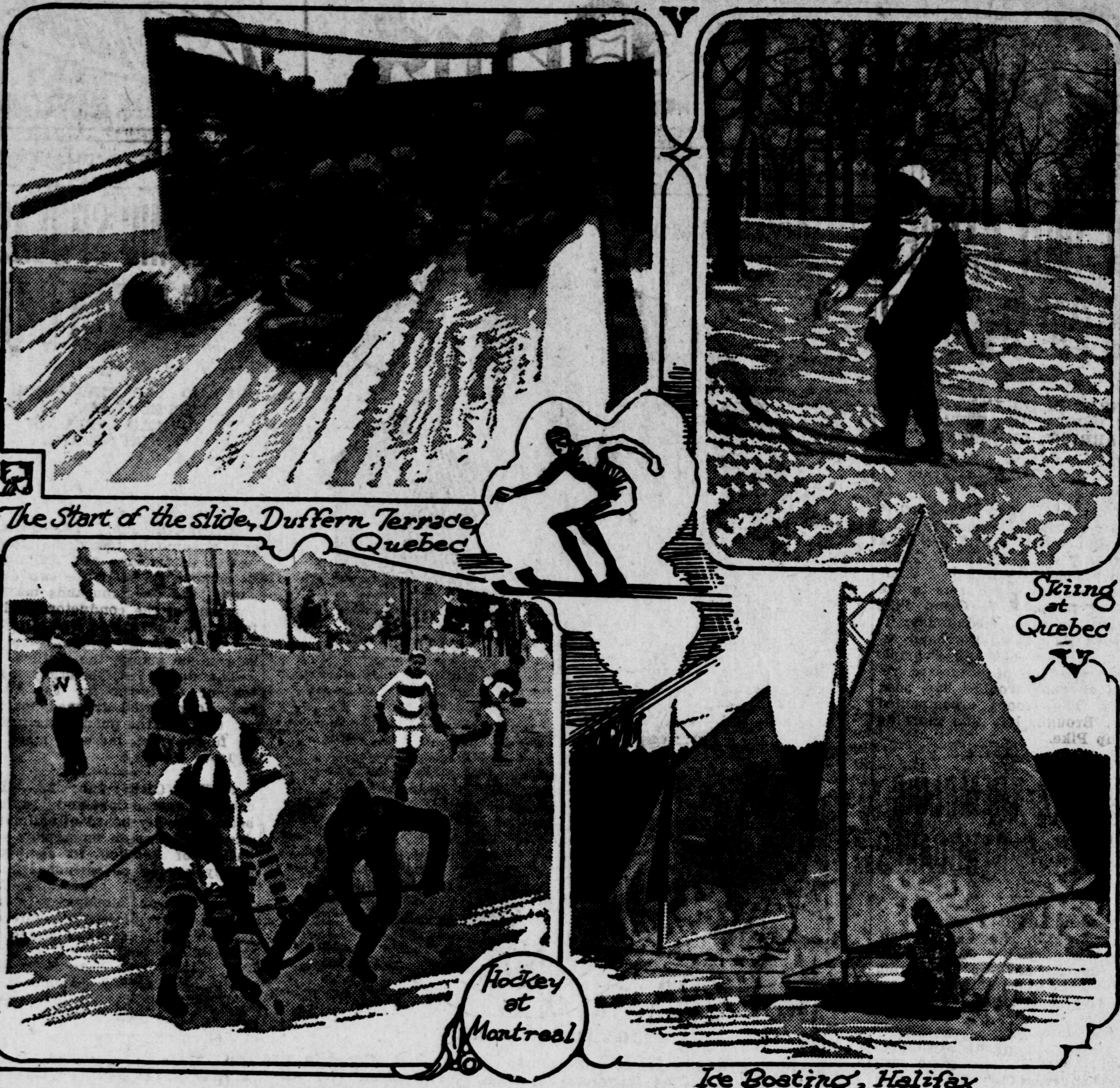
By the Associated Press

BUENOS AIRES, Jan. 3.—There appears to be little chance that the United States or any other country suffering from sugar shortage will receive any help for some time to come from Argentina.

The sugar growers of Tucuman, the principal sugar producing province, appealed recently to President Irigoyen, saying they had a surplus of 50,000 tons and asking him to revoke the decree forbidding exportation. Labor organizations raised a protest, declaring that exportation would result in an advance in the price to domestic consumers and saying that the surplus which the Tucuman growers had on their hands should be kept for the benefit of Argentina. Soon after President Irigoyen announced that he would not revoke the decree.

Now comes a report from the Director General of Rural Economy and Statistics estimating that this year's sugar harvest will amount to 260,000 tons and saying that while there will be a surplus of 52,164 tons, it should be retained in this country as a reserve stock.

CANADA'S A-ROLLICKING ON THE SNOW CRUST



The Start of the Slide, Dufferin Terrace, Quebec

Ice Boating, Halifax

Hockey at Montreal

The lid is lifted in Canada—er, the temperamental lid. The damper of war and absence of loved ones is removed. In local parlance, "la guerre est finie" and gay spirits are making up for lost seasons by a riotous whirl of winter sports.

As the days begin to lengthen and the cold begins to strengthen, the snow takes on a sparkling dryness that adds to the pleasure of outdoor sports. For the months of January and February all Canada becomes in-

toxicated with the desire to spend as many hours as possible in the open. Visitors to the Dominion find this mood infectious and nowhere is this more in evidence than in the quaint old city of Quebec.

Nature fashioned this city's site for sport. Every steep little street that claws its crooked way from the waterfront to the heights, is a possible slide, while the triple track toboggan slide that begins at the grim gray Citadel and ends in a huge snow bunker on Dufferin Ter-

race is world famous.

The picturesque many-turreted Chateau Frontenac that overlooks this slide, is naturally headquarters for Society during its winter revels. Its charming tea-room opens onto the Terrace and glowing tobogganists run in for a cheering cup, then disappear through another door that gives onto the inner court where skating and ice-dancing are in order.

Merry parties assemble in the tea-room at all hours. One party will be ready for a snowshoe tramp to "The Roadhouse" with its tea and

cakes, five miles across country. Another group will have requisitioned the 1919 Model bob-sleighs, that form part of the Chateau's sport equipment, for a sporty racing event. An impending hockey match is providing spirited discussion and betting in a bunch about the big fire-place. Still another party is preparing to ski, and there is no reason why every visitor to Quebec should not learn this graceful sport for the Chateau management has engaged two Norwegian ski-jumpers to instruct its guests.

ONE WAY FOUND FOR HELPING TO SOLVE HIGH COST OF LIVING: LIVE IN TENT



Thomas Sheehan's tent home with children in entrance.

The shortage of homes and the rent problem is just as acute in the national capital as in any part of the country. Rents are prohibitive to many folk there. Thomas Sheehan found one solution to the high rent problem by buying himself a tent and pitching it in a back yard. He and his family live in it the year around.

Plans Being Made For Conservation Of Mineral Supply

WASHINGTON, D. C. Jan. 23.—Millions of dollars worth of mineral salvage has been effected recently through the activities of the Bureau of Mines in the campaign being conducted to improve the handling methods used in digging out America's great natural resources. Particularly in the last five or six years has the Government been watching with more than ordinary closeness the prodigal waste that exists in exploitation of American mineral and other natural resources, and every effort is now being

bent to get the most out of the still lavish supply.

The present campaign, which is more of a policy of administration, is built around the chain of experiment stations to help in working out the most difficult problems confronting each community. In all there are eleven of these stations and they are geographically located so as to nearly approximate a separate station for each separate natural resource field.

In the clay industry, for instance, the Government has established an experiment station at Columbus, O., situated in the heart of one of the largest producing fields in the country. This station is cooperating with the clay digging interests and lending its advice and experiment services to the more than 4,000 clay product manufacturing firms of the country. The annual returns from this industry are approximately \$210,000,000, and the clay firms of the country represent an invest-

ment of about \$375,000,000. Highly satisfactory improvements have been effected in the handling and treatment of clay products through the experiments of the Columbus station and they have resulted in large annual savings.

One of the most important economic problems the country has known since the days of '49 has been that of salvaging the low-grade ores. Billions of tons of mineral bearing earth have been scrapped in the West because the large operator had no time to bother with anything but "pay dirt" and the small operator lacked the funds for making the "low-pay" dirt yield its riches. In the Colorado radium-bearing fields the earth was at one time practically thrown at the European market for a song because the yield was so trivial from American viewpoint. But the European buyers developed ways of getting radium out through reasonable treatment, and then shipped it back to us at stupendous prices. Through the efforts of the Golden, Colo., station and American extraction method has been developed and the ground work of a radium industry in this country established.

This same situation was true, and still is in part, of the other mineral fields, including the ore lands of the northwest and the Pacific, the lead and zinc fields of Utah and neighboring states and the iron lands of Minnesota. The Bureau of Mines now has stations established at Minneapolis, Salt Lake City, Utah, Seattle, Wash. Tucson, Ariz., and Berkeley Cal., combating these low-grade ore problems and they are meeting with marked success. In Minnesota alone it is estimated the reserve of low-grade magnetic iron ores amounts to some forty billion tons. Until recently these ores, including vast deposits of the Cuyuna Range, had been untouched because there had been no process devised for treating them profitably.

In Pittsburgh, the work of the Bureau of Mines has been very generally exploited and the experiment station has dealt largely with all the problems of mining, including those of mine safety. The particular problems of this territory have to do with coal mining and safety methods for combating mine gasses and explosions. Great savings have also been effected through the work of the experiment station at Bartlesville, Okla., where economic methods of oil drilling and stopping of waste in the natural gas fields has presented a problem.

"Work such as this," according to Director Manning of the Federal Bureau, "not only stimulates mineral production and helps to make available tremendous resources that are now unused, but it increases the total wealth of the nation and ultimately benefits every

citizen."

Speaking of the situation particularly in the west, where low-grade earth must be made to pay, he said:

"At more than a dozen mills in the West engineers from the stations are working directly with the mill men on various problems, and the results they have already obtained more than warrant the existence of the stations. Success in solving one problem may easily be worth millions to the country."

Thousands upon thousands of women have kidney or bladder trouble and never suspect it.

Women's complaints often prove to be nothing else but kidney trouble, or the result of kidney or bladder disease.

If the kidneys are not in a healthy condition, they may cause the other organs to become diseased.

You may suffer pain in the back, headache and loss of ambition.

Poor health makes you nervous, irritable and may be despondent; it makes any one so.

But hundreds of women claim that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, by restoring health to the kidneys, proved to be just the remedy needed to overcome such conditions.

Many send for a sample bottle to see what Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder medicine, will do for them. By enclosing ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Birmingham, N. Y., you may receive sample size bottle by Parcel Post. You can purchase medium and large size bottles at all drug stores. adv

The great senatorial battle in Oklahoma has gone dragging. People were so afraid it was going to be a red-hot struggle, that no one will have anything to do with it.

Have Pains?

Aches and pains seem to be the lot of the ordinary mortal. However, these should be taken simply as nature's warning signals that some part of the human machine is out of order. It is a mistake to resign one's self to physical torture when the cause can be removed.

Foley Kidney Pills

tone up weak, inactive, sluggish kidneys and help rid the blood of poisonous waste matter that causes aches and pains in arms and legs, backache, rheumatic pains, sore muscles, stiff or swollen joints.

Isaac B. Turman, Aubrey Park, N.J., writes: "My back caused me a great deal of trouble for some time. I experienced sharp, shooting pains which were due to the condition of my kidneys. One bottle of Foley Kidney Pills completely relieved me. The pains left my back. I recommend Foley Kidney Pills to my friends."

VIRGINIA WOMAN HAS GAINED 25 POUNDS

"I was almost a complete nervous wreck when I started taking Tanlac, and it has not only completely restored my health but I have gained twenty-five pounds besides," said Mrs. C. H. Reid, 603 Chestnut street, Portsmouth, Va., recently.

"For three years," she continued, "I was troubled with indigestion, nervousness, loss of sleep and headaches. My food soured on my stomach and formed gas that pressed up into my chest and throat and around my heart so that I would have awful smothering spells. I had nervous headaches and pains in my back and shoulders would almost drive me wild. I would get dizzy and so nervous I would almost scream; I got down to eighty-five pounds and was so weak I would just give out several times during the day.

"After trying everything else I knew of without getting any better Tanlac gave me a splendid appetite and now I can eat anything and my digestion is perfect. I am not troubled at all with gas or palpitations, dizziness or smothering spells and I sleep soundly all night. Headaches, nervousness, pains in my back and shoulders are all gone and I never have that tired, worn out feeling any more."

All druggists sell Tanlac. adv

CENTER NEWS.

Health in this community is not very good.

Miss Velma Golden is down with pneumonia.

Miss Clemmie Beller and Miss Lera Lomans were the guests of Miss Alma Sorrells Sunday.

Mr. Jerry Sorrells and wife and Mr. Emmett Pickett and wife visited Mr. W. F. Sorrells and family Sunday.

Miss Ara Vandergriff visited Miss Cecil Deatherage Sunday.

Mr. W. T. Sorrells and wife have just returned from Missouri and Arkansas where they went in summons to a telegram from her brother stating the illness of her mother.

Miss Virgie Coots of Franks, Oklahoma, spent the week with Miss Alta Owens.

Mr. Bascon McGuire was the guest of Mr. Garrett Beller Friday night.

Mr. Garrett Beller is staying with his uncle, Mr. Ralph Beller. He is going to make a crop with him this coming year.

Mrs. W. T. Price visited Mrs. W. T. Sorrells Sunday.

Mrs. Loman visited her sister, Mrs. Cora Golden, Sunday.

The dance at Mr. Ralph Beller's home Thursday night was splendid. Everybody reported a nice time.

Come on, Pickett and Pleasant Hill, with your news—let's make the News more cheerful.

BLUE BELL.

Miller's Antiseptic Oil, Known as

Snake Oil

Positively Relieves Pain in Few Minutes

Try it right now for Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Lumbago, sore, stiff and swollen joints, pain in the head, back and limbs, corns, bunions, etc. After one application pain usually disappears as if by magic.

A new remedy used internally and externally for coughs, colds, croup, influenza, sore throat, diphtheria and tonsillitis.

This Oil is conceded to be the most penetrating remedy known. Its prompt and immediate effect in relieving pain is due to the fact that it penetrates to the affected parts at once. As an illustration, pour ten drops on the thickest piece of sole leather and it will penetrate in three minutes.

Accept no substitute. This great oil is golden red color only. Manufactured by Herbicine Medicine Co. Every bottle guaranteed—50c, 70c and \$1.20 a bottle, at

GWIN & MAYS DRUG CO.

FITZBURGH

Sunday was a lovely day and the young folks took advantage of it and went kodaking.

Sunday school was held in the auditorium Sunday on the account of ceiling the church house but they will get it done and Sunday school will be held in the church next Sunday. Had a large crowd at Sunday school.

Mr. Roy McDonald was hanging out at Mr. Bean's Sunday and Sunday night. I guess he had a nice time.

Ed Moore has gone to Texas, left today.

We had a party at Mr. G. W. Anthony's Saturday night. Everybody had a nice time.

Mr. Roy McDonald spent last Sunday in Fitzburgh, the first one in six months. He was at Sunday school.

BILL NYE.

NEW BETHEL

The New Bethel school gave a box supper Friday night for the benefit of the athletic fund. Which brought one hundred twenty-three dollars and fifteen cents. The money will be used in buying equipment for the girl's basketball team, the boys' baseball team, and a victrola.

That the community have the proper school spirit is not only shown

by the proceeds of the supper mentioned above, but by the following list of supplies that have been added this year: three convection heaters, three sanitary water coolers, four chemical toilets, one teacher's desk and chair, two suspension globes, one history chart, one chart on physiology and hygiene, one set of wall maps, and twenty tubular steel sanitary desks.

The school has enrolled seventy pupils, with about sixty in regular attendance. New pupils are being enrolled daily from families that have just moved into the district.

Relief from Malaria

This tasteless tonic seldom requires over three days to break up malaria chills. In thousands of homes it is always kept on hand. Try a bottle.

The Doctors' Prescription
60c at All Dealers.

SWAMP
CHILL & FEVER TONIC

RAINS GROCERY

SPECIALS FOR BALANCE OF THIS WEEK AND MONDAY

Fresh Vegetables for Friday and Saturday, such as

Turnips with the top,	Onions
Turnip Greens,	Lettuce,
Mustard Greens,	Carrots,
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200 West Main Street, Ada, Oklahoma

DOWNFALL OF PRESENT GERMAN GOVERNMENT LOOMS NEAR



Mob of workmen surging through Unter den Linden before reichstag and, left to right, Minister of Defense Noske, President Ebert and Premier Bauer.

Witnesses telling of the latest rioting in the German capital, which brought about a declaration of martial law throughout Germany by the Ebert government, depict conditions which indicate that the present Ebert government is nearing its end. It was freely

predicted when the armistice was signed that the government officials who "kneel to the allies" could not long hold sway. Premier Bauer of the Ebert cabinet shocked official circles during the rioting when he announced that Independent Socialist members

of the assembly motioned the mob into action from one of the windows of the reichstag. In proclaiming martial law President Ebert announced that Minister of Defense Gustave Noske had been made commander in chief of all armed forces in the empire to handle the situation.

WHO WILL GET THE BIG M.E. COLLEGE?

COMMISSION WILL HOLD MEETING IN OKLAHOMA CITY MARCH 2, AT WHICH CHOICE WILL BE MADE

OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 23.—Bishop Edwin D. Mouson of Dallas, chairman of the Educational Commission of the East and West Oklahoma conferences of the M. E. Church, South, has called a meeting of the commission for March 2 to be held in Oklahoma City. It is probable that at this meeting the commission will select the town or city or near which it is to be established the million and a half dollar college provided for by the two conferences in their last annual meeting.

The commission, of which the Rev. R. E. L. Morgan of Oklahoma City is secretary, has word that probably half a dozen towns and cities of the state will be bidders for the institution. It probably will be awarded to that which offers the best inducements.

The college is to be of the Class A variety, granting A. B. and B. S. degrees, and is to be affiliated with the Southern Methodist University of Dallas. Mr. Morgan expects that as much as \$500,000 will be obtained from the general educational board of the church and that what is needed over that amount and the amount to be given by the community that gets the college will be raised from among the 60,000 members of the M. E. Church, South, in Oklahoma.

Membership in the educational Commission is held by Dr. L. S. Barton of Tulsa, the Rev. John Abernathy of Okmulgee, Judge Orlando Swain of Okmulgee and H. G. Barnard, representing the East Oklahoma Conference, and the Rev. R. E. L. Morgan of Oklahoma City, the Rev. J. W. Sims of Chickasha, Judge T. M. Robinson of Altus, and Dr. T. P. Howell of Davis, representing the West Oklahoma Conference.

Mr. Morgan, secretary to the commission, is educational secretary of the two conferences, a position he resigned the pastorate of the Broadway Methodist Church of Ardmore a few weeks ago to accept. He is devoting all his time to educational affairs of the church. For nine years he was a member of the board of education of the West Oklahoma Conference. He has the distinction of being a member of the Book Committee of the M. E. Church, South, which consists of six preachers and seven laymen elected by the General Conference of the church. He is also a member of the board of trustees of the Southern Methodist University of Dallas.

"This is to be one of the best Class A colleges west of the Mississippi River," says Mr. Morgan, "and naturally it will be a credit to the Methodist Church of Oklahoma. The two conferences are united on the project and there is no doubt of its being established. We are not seeking to put cities and towns in competition with each other, but we want to locate the school where it will have the best advantages and the largest possible fund for making it what we want it to be."

SCHOOL HEAD WRITES ABOUT BOOK SHORTAGE

Dear Superintendents:

For six months I have diligently endeavored to get the publishing houses to furnish books enough to supply the needs of our schools. At the time of the adoption every company bidding stated that they would furnish the books in time for the opening of schools in September. The Oklahoma Book Company and the Jasper Spee Company have informed me that they immediately ordered a sufficient number of books to supply the schools for the entire year. The publishing houses which I have heard from, with but few exceptions, state that they have shipped a sufficient number of books for the entire year. I have requested a number of the agents of the publishing houses to send a circular letter to the superintendents of schools and ascertain whether or not any schools are short on particular books. Some have agreed to do this, and others have not done it.

Both of the state depositories approved the letter which I sent you under the date of November 18, 1919, advising you to order books parcel post or express direct from your local dealer. Yet, almost every mail brings us a complaint about shortage of books.

It is now time for the second semester. I have had a positive promise that there will be plenty of books on hand for all children by this time. Permit me to advise that in the event you are unable to secure any book or books from your local dealer, and have failed to get response from the state depositories, that you wire collect to the publishers of said book or books and advise them that you have failed to get the books and ask them to send the books direct to you by parcel post or express. You have the address of the publishing house in the official book list which we have furnished you.

At this time I wish to advise that the exchange period on text books will expire August 1, 1920. In a

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YANK TELLS OF NEED OF NEAR EAST PEOPLE

Special to the News:

OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 23.—F. H. Miller of Detroit, who served in the aviation section of the American army in France, in a letter to F. L. Carpenter of Muskogee, secretary of the Near East Relief in Oklahoma, describes part of the suffering of Armenians and Syrians as he saw it while in charge of the transport of relief workers in the Erivan district, republic of Armenia. Also he tells of the needs of those peoples. He writes:

"Belgium and northern France suffered much during the war but not as Armenia and Syria have suffered. In the country districts there are scores of ruined villages and houses, some completely destroyed, others so badly damaged as to be almost beyond repair. On the farms trees were wantonly cut down crops uprooted, buildings wrecked and tools carried away."

"The survivors are coming back to decimated families, ruined homes, wrecked farms, no food, little work and no prospects. Unless America aids promptly and generously starved along every road are refugees,

work of extermination begun by the barbarous Turks. To be a candidate for the senate," most of them wandering aimlessly in the hope of getting something to eat. Four years ago they were prosperous farmers, shopkeepers and business men. Now they have nothing and they and their kin are dying by the scores daily. The Near East Relief is doing splendid work, but must do more and more, for the need is great."

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What a Court House Would Cost

On Saturday of this week the voters of Pontotoc County will vote on the proposition of issuing the bonds of the county for the purpose of erecting a court house and county jail. Thus far there has been no campaign made either for or against the bonds, and in order to furnish the voters of the county sufficient information to judge the merits of the proposition the Evening News on its own motion is submitting the following data to the public.

Amount of issue ----- \$200,000.00
Date of maturity ----- 25 years
Interest on bonds ----- 5 1-2 per cent
Premium on bonds (already contracted) ----- \$5,425.00

Additional cost of county each year—
(interest and sinking fund) ----- \$19,000.00
Present rent paid for court house each year ----- \$2,280.00
Net annual increase of cost to county ----- \$16,720.00
Total valuation of county for taxation ----- \$16,746,363.00
Increase in tax rate (if bonds carry) ----- 1 mill (minus)

The following table will show the additional taxes paid by various taxpayers, if the bonds carry:

On a Valuation of—
\$ 100.00 ----- \$.10
\$ 500.00 ----- \$.50
\$ 1,000.00 ----- \$ 1.00
\$ 2,000.00 ----- \$ 2.00
\$ 5,000.00 ----- \$ 5.00
\$ 10,000.00 ----- \$ 10.00
\$ 25,000.00 ----- \$ 25.00

The gross increase in the annual cost to the county would be \$19,000.00. The annual rent now being paid for a rented court house is \$2,280.00, which, deducted from the gross increase, would leave a net increase of \$16,720.00. To raise this increase, a tax of slightly less than 1 mill would have to be levied on the county's valuation of \$16,746,363.00.

There should be counted in the present expense of the county a considerable item paid as insurance on the county records, due to the fact that there is no fire proof building in which to keep the records. In fact the strongest argument in favor of a new fire-proof court house is that the county records are liable to destruction by fire at any time.

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SUES "TIPPING TRUST" FOR \$25,000 SHE COLLECTED IN RESTAURANT AS CHECKER



Miss Hannah Stires.

In two years Miss Hannah Stires says she drew \$25,425 in tips from patrons of Chicago restaurants through her pleasant smiles while a hat checker. All of this money she was forced to drop into a camouflaged iron bank. This money was collected by the "Chicago Tipping Trust," which had the checking concessions at the restaurants. Now she is suing the "trust" for the money. She names three men in her suit and charges that they pay girls from \$9 to \$15 a week and compel the girls to turn over all the money.

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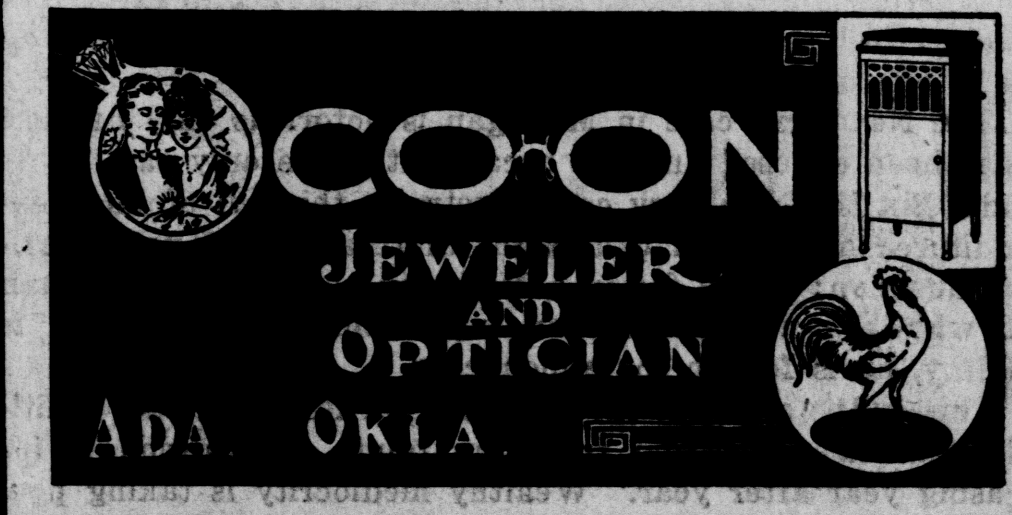
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In the recent statement of James J. McGraw concerning the demand of certain McAlester republicans that both McGraw and Hamon withdraw from the race for national committeeman, there is an expression frequently repeated that has a lot of political significance. The only answer that the man from Ponca makes is that the McAlester insurgents have not been heavy contributors to campaign funds. Five or six times McGraw says in his answer that the McAlester men have not donated to any extent, and, therefore, cannot be called good republicans. According to the spirit of his statement the only test of party fealty is the willingness to contribute the coin.

The expression of Mr. McGraw concerning campaign contributions is a sinister reflection of modern political sentiment insofar as politicians are concerned. With them it is only a game of dollars and a fight for spoils. More and more politics has degenerated into a scramble for loaves and fishes. Each year larger sums are demanded for campaign purposes and unless a citizen signs a check his party fealty counts for nothing. Principles are ignored and even ridiculed by men who fight political battles under the sign of the dollar mark.

Aside from the corruption which is an inevitable incident of such political practices there is a vital evil in a situation that more and more drives the man of limited means from political activity. Unless a man is wealthy, he carries a heavy handicap in a fight for political recognition. We often hear it said of some one of the brainiest citizens of Oklahoma: "He would make a splendid official, but he hasn't the money to make the race," or "he will be a candidate if he can raise the money." Thus the wealthy scoundrel is driving the best men of limited means from public life.

Statewide primaries have retired some of the best men in Oklahoma. The expense of a statewide campaign cannot be borne by any except wealthy men. The only way for a poor man to win a statewide election is to secure campaign donations from his friends or from interested concerns. This frequently places the successful aspirant under a mortgage to a vicious interest and opens the way to malfeasance and scandal. A man elected to office through the charity of a special interest is not going to find it easy to forget to favor that interest while in office. Yet the primary has come to stay and is one of our permanent institutions.

The Newberry case in Michigan is notorious only because it has been exposed and not because it is the only case of its kind. But the Newberry case illustrates the evil of huge expenditures in political campaigns and raises the very pertinent question: "How far in a Michigan contest would a man get who has no qualification but brains?" Unless he is wealthy, he is foolish for announcing.

This evil is a cancer affecting all parties alike. No political organization is free from the taint. Corruption is increasing year after year. Wealthy mediocrity is taking possession of public office. And the people are paying dear for the capers of spoilsmen.

More than two-thirds of January has gone, and the more we see of this year 1920 the better we seem to like it. We may be feeling better nowadays or simply misreading the signs of the times, but it seems to us that the world has taken a turn for the better. It may be that all the devilment in creation played out during 1919, and it may be that the world-wide high jinks of the old year makes any old thing look good in comparison. But it seems as if we can see a decided change for the better. Most of our troubles have been imaginary, anyway, and as soon as everybody quits predicting disaster, the world will be far on its road to recovery.

The more we see of this national price reduction campaign the more we understand why a man named Figg should be at the head of it. The only possible improvement would be to get a manager named Prunes.

More people are now asking questions about Havana than at any time since the Spanish-American war, and most of the talk started about the 16th of this month.

"A Village Called Perthes"

How many Americans have ever heard of Perthes, a village of the Champagne? And how many Americans have not heard of Chateau Thierry and Vaux and Serpy and Oureq?

Few if any of our population have failed to hear of the villages clustering along the Marne northeast of Paris or of that obstinate defense of the Allied lines in July, 1918, when the armies of the German Crown Prince made the last drive towards Paris. The story of Chateau Thierry and the Marne is a familiar one—so familiar in fact that most Americans believe till this good day that the last drive was made along the Marne southwest of Reims and that the entire drive was within a crescent resting on Reims and Soissons and reaching to Chateau Thierry.

Not many Americans know that the heaviest part of the drive was EAST of Reims and that one of the most brilliant achievements of American arms was in the Champagne at "a village called Perthes." War correspondents were along the Marne and filled the press with accounts of the superb heroism of the French and Americans at Chateau Thierry. Consequently that part of the drive is familiar to all Americans. There were no war correspondents east of Reims. Consequently Americans are not informed as to what occurred at Perthes.

The Crown Prince on the night of Bastille Day—July 14—attacked on a front of fifty miles. Twenty divisions attacked west of Reims. Twenty-five divisions had been massed east of Reims, and following the heaviest artillery fire ever put forth by the German armies, they advanced to the attack at daybreak on July 15. The vital point of the Allied defensive was at the village of Perthes, held by the "Rainbow Division" of the American army. At another point in the line was the Fifteenth Infantry, a regiment of American negroes.

West of Reims the Germans forced the passage of the Marne and made considerable gains, only to be hurled back by one of the most determined counter-attacks in history. East of Reims, where the Crown Prince had massed his forces, the offensive was stopped dead in its tracks. Not an inch of ground was gained by the Hun.

Two French armies defended the country west of Reims. One army commanded by Gouraud held the lines to the east.

Gouraud was known to the people of France as the "Lion of the Argonne." He had lost an arm in the ill-fated expedition to Gallipoli. In the Argonne fighting of 1914 he had sustained an ugly wound in the thigh from shrapnel and by his heroism had saved his men from annihilation. He was in command in the Champagne when the last German drive began, and so alert had been his staff that he knew to a minute when the German barrage was to be put down and how many divisions were to advance to the charge. He also knew the point of most violent attack.

It was the belief of the German staff that the French would celebrate Bastille Day, that the French soldiers would be drinking, and that the French army would be off its guard. Therefore they decided to begin their artillery fire at midnight of the 14th. The artillery preparation for the assault was to last four hours and twenty-five minutes. Then the infantry was to advance in massed formation and overwhelm the French lines, which by that time would be shot to pieces by the artillery.

But all this was known to Gouraud. On the night of the 13th a French party had raided a German trench and had captured two German prisoners. These had revealed the German plan. They had told the exact minute the German artillery was to open. They had told the exact minute the infantry was to attack. They had told what divisions were to attack and exactly where each division was to attack. Moreover, they had told just where each division was to form its lines while the artillery preparation was under way.

As the French returned from their raid on the German trench, a French Grenadier said to an American doughboy: "You should have been with us. We use liquid fire. We burn him to death. It was verree beautiful."

Having all the information he needed, Gouraud formed his plans. His men were withdrawn from the front line trenches. Only volunteers were left to patrol the trenches abandoned and each of these volunteers knew that he was volunteering to be killed. All but sixty of them were killed. These sixty were afterwards decorated by their government.

At midnight the German artillery opened according to plan. But Gouraud had beaten them to it. Five minutes before the clocks struck the midnight hour every French and American gun opened. Behind the salient held by the Rainbow Division and certain French units, eighteen hundred Allied guns had been massed. These opened as one gun. Behind the German front lines their divisions had been massed for the attack and these were caught in a fearful tempest of steel. Knowing exactly where each German unit was to be stationed the Allied artillery knew exactly where to plant their shells. In one village a division of Prussians had been massed. Around this village a box barrage was put down by the French and not a German escaped unharm.

When the waves of Germans advanced at daybreak they were stopped in their tracks. They had already been fearfully punished by the storm of shells. Seven different attacks were dashed to pieces against the rifles of the Rainbow Division. The negro doughboys of the Fifteenth Infantry here had their baptism of fire and fought like veterans. Not an inch of ground was won by the twenty-five divisions driven into the shambles by the German staff. They spent their strength in taking the empty front line trenches only to find their lines enfiladed by a hurricane of rifle and machine-gun fire.

An Oklahoma lad who fought at Perthes with the 117th Engineers of the Rainbow has told of that night and day of slaughter. "The engineers went in because every man was needed. Our regiment occupied the widest and deepest trench I ever saw. It was too wide at the top to furnish much protection from shrapnel. When the guns opened the ground simply heaved and rolled. Then when the smoke began to settle everything had an angry glare. We lay in a kind of daze. We were not exactly scared—we were too tired and hungry and sick to be scared. Dying was the easiest part. Just to our right was a regiment of mountaineers from Alabama. When the barrage started a big sergeant climbed out in front of the trench and yelled: 'Come on boys and take a look—it is the biggest show you ever saw.' But in a moment he was blown to pieces by a shell.

It seemed as though night would last forever. I remember noticing the most trivial things. A boy to one side of me was killed by shrapnel, and I remember wondering if I could run my little finger thru the hole made in his helmet by the splinter of shell. Another one of our boys had his head blown off and I noticed the nails had been knocked out of one of his shoes. I wondered for so long a time what had knocked those nails loose.

Then the German infantry came over and our boys yelled like panthers when they saw them coming. A lot of our Alabamians threw away their rifles and went out with trench knives to meet them. They never came back. I used my head and stayed in the trench, so I never got a scratch. During the morning one wave of Germans was cut off by a barrage that kept their reinforcements from coming up and cut off their retreat. They threw down their guns and marched into our trenches to surrender. But a lot of them got their throats cut when they jumped down into our lines.

The defense of the Champagne sector was vital. If the lines of Gouraud had been forced back, Chalons-sur-Marne would have fallen, the roads to the east would have been cut, Verdun would have been abandoned, and the eastern gateway into the heart of France would have been wide open. Never was greater service rendered the Allies than by the men who in the deep chalk trenches of the Champagne endured the heaviest artillery fire ever put down by Germany and crushed one of the heaviest battle formations the Hun ever sent to war. This was done in a large part at a village called Perthes.

The State Press

Tulsa World: As we understand it, Congressman Herrell found that the Victor Berger quarters in the house of representatives did not need as much fumigation as thought when he first moved in.

Shawnee News: Everyone has given Mr. Bryan credit for being a godly man, even sinless, perhaps, but now comes along a Utah man and charges the great commoner with being responsible for the high cost of living.

Chickasha Express: Congressman Harrell is not a success as an explainer. His defense of his vote in the Berger case has not helped him. The facts in regard to Berger were so well known that Mr. Harrell cannot well plead ignorance without reflecting upon his own intelligence.

Shawnee News: The fellow who came home from overseas service and said "never again" and the folks at home who do not want any more of this war stuff will hardly take kindly to the way Leonard Wood is now talking about always being ready for war, for if we have a big fighting machine it

means sure war sooner or later if some excuse has to trumped up for it. Wood may have played good politics in getting into the game early, but he seems to be just like the Oklahoma republican leaders, for he talks too much.

Muskogee Times Democrat: The job of referee in bankruptcy under the federal court in Oklahoma used to be considered one of the best political appointments, but now a referee in bankruptcy has to have side lines to meet the grocery bills. Bankruptcy is getting to be a lost art in this section.

Miami News: Hiram Johnson has filed notice of his candidacy. We believe in printing all the news, whether people are interested in it or not.

Miami News: Many threatened to leave this country when prohibition took effect. Experimenting with wood alcohol is about the quickest method.

El Reno American: The more the average voter sees of the McGraw-Hamilton battle, the more they long for the advent of a dark horse, who in addition to the qualifications needed for the position of national committeeman, will possess the added asset of modesty.

"A Safe and Sane Sunday"

will be the subject of the morning sermons of all the ministers in town

Sunday, January 25th

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LIKE PAUL Alderson.
AND BART Smith.
AND C. H. Rives.
AND OTHERS in that class.
WHO HAVE more hair.
THAN THEY know.
WHAT TO do with.
BUT SOMETHING ought to be done.
FOR THE poor guys.
WHO HAVE to limp around.
WITH JUST about enough hair.
ON THEIR heads.
TO MAKE a good eyebrow.
ESPECIALLY.
DURING THIS cold weather.
AND THIS morning.
WHEN I came down to work.
I WAS walking.
BEHIND JACK Moore.
AND HE passed a lady.
AND TIPPED his hat.
AND IN a second or two.
WE PASSED another one.
AND HE tipped again.
AND A few feet further along.

UP COMES another one.
AND OFF goes Jack's hat again.
AND THAT'S the way.
THINGS KEPT on going.
TILL WE got.
TO SHAW'S store.
AND JACK'S hat.
WAS IN the air longer.
THAN IT was on his head.
AND JUST before.
HE WENT into the store.
HE TOOK off his hat once more.
AND RUBBED his head.
WITH HIS glove.
AND I noticed.
IT WAS beginning.
TO TURN kind of blue.
AND AS I said before.
SOMETHING OUGHT to be done.
DURING THIS cold weather.
FOR THE benefit.
OF ALL bald polite men.
OR POLITE bald men.
WHICHEVER YOU want.
AND MAYBE Congress.
OR SOMETHING.
WILL TAKE it up.
I THANK YOU.

POMERENE WINS WAY OVER BOSSES

By News' Special Service.
COLUMBUS, Ohio, Jan. 22.—There was a time in Ohio politics—back in the summer of 1910—when the democratic party was badly in need of a little piety and respectability.
The liquor and railroad interests had almost complete control of the democratic state convention.
The wet reactionaries at the state convention held in Dayton saw that they would have to make some real concessions to the discontents.
And that's how Atlee Pomerene, now U. S. senator, took the stage.
The bosses looked around for a man who had never taken a drink, in his life, never smoked a cigar, never cursed a cuss word, never missed a Sunday at church, and who had never taken orders from the wets or the railroads.
Picked Pomerene.
"Pomerene of Canton is the ideal man to put on the ticket with Harmon," they said. "He's been identified for years with the Tom Johnson crowd of reformers from Cleveland and the rank and file consider him one of the original Bryan men."
So they cornered Pomerene in a little room under the stage in

Memorial Hall in Dayton that hot, sultry July afternoon.
Pomerene paced the floor as he listened to the words of the committee of bosses.
"But I don't want to go on the ticket for lieutenant governor," he pleaded. "I have no ambitions along that line. The next Ohio legislature may be democratic. If it is I want to be a candidate for he senate."
The bosses looked at him pityingly, but they didn't lay their cards on the table. They told him that his election as lieutenant governor might help that candidacy. However, they were very careful not to pledge him support for the senate.
Pomerene Elected.
So Pomerene was elected lieutenant governor of Ohio.
And then the fun began.
The legislature was overwhelmingly democratic and a democrat would be elected to succeed the republican, Charles F. Dick, in the U. S. senate.
The result had hardly been known however, before the biggest democratic boss in the state, Edward M. Hanley of Dayton, the democratic state chairman, announced himself for the senate. He had led the movement that had put Pomerene on the state ticket a few months before.
Then every other boss in the state, big and little, declared himself for Hanley and the strength of the democratic state organization was swung to the big boss.
For a few days it looked like a

walkaway for Hanley. For his campaign manager he chose a rising young congressman from Dayton, James M. Cox, who, in the 10 years since that time, has three times been elected governor of Ohio and is now a candidate for the democratic presidential nomination.
Nobility of any consequence was for Pomerene for senator.
Hanley Discovered.
Then the newspapers discovered that Hanley was the Ohio agent for big gas and oil interests and was identified with nearly 20 other finance and public utility corporations.
Hanley was so vulnerable that the democratic legislators didn't dare to vote for him.
Pomerene, the pious, the good, the upright, the just, the serious-minded, fell direct heir to the storm of anti-Hanley sentiment and on the first ballot, in the democratic caucus, he got the nomination for the U. S. senate. Out of the 90 votes in the caucus, Manager Cox could muster only 10 for Hanley.
So Pomerene went to the senate, feeling more than ever that heaven was on his side. He became a staunch Wilson supporter.
Pomerene was opposed for reelection in 1916 by former Governor Myron T. Herrick. The betting, up to election day, was 3 to 1 in favor of Herrick. However, Pomerene snowed Herrick under by \$6,000.
Pomerene Backing.
Pomerene has a peculiar kind of strength with Ohio democrats. Nobody ever wasted any breath shouting for him; likewise no Ohio democrat would ever think of saying "dammit" in his presence. He's so ponderous, so absorbed with what he thinks are heavy, weighty matters of state, that he never has time for levity, laughter or slaps on the back.
Pomerene is an Ohio product—born in Holmes county 56 years ago, educated in the common schools and at Vermillion Institute and later graduating from Princeton. He began practicing law in Canton in 1885 and was elected prosecuting attorney there in 1896—while William McKinley of Canton was being elected republican president.

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PIGS IN WINTER.

"Well," said Mrs. Black Pig. "winter is with us; we'll soon feel the cold."

"What is winter?" asked Mrs. Brown Pig.

"Winter is winter," said Mrs. Black Pig.

"Why you don't say so," said Mrs. Brown Pig.

"Yes, I do," returned Mrs. Black Pig.

"I don't know any more than I did before," said Mrs. Brown Pig.

"You were never great on adding to what little learning you had," said Mrs. Black Pig.

"My dear Mrs. Black Pig, don't be rude; I'm your neighbor and your friend."

"Ah," said Mrs. Black Pig, "that shows you're stupid. Just because I am your neighbor, it doesn't mean that I'm your friend."

"It should," said Mrs. Brown Pig.

"Maybe it should, but it doesn't," said Mrs. Black Pig, "and you ought to be wise enough to know it."

"Well, I'm glad to learn," said Mrs. Brown Pig. "I'm very glad to learn."

Just let me reach for that piece of weed you have there," she added, trying to grab a piece of weed from Mrs. Black Pig. She had to admit that she was trying to do it for Mrs. Black Pig, had seen her out of her right eye, which had been looking straight at her.

"If you were neighborly and a friend at the same time," said Mrs. Black Pig, "you wouldn't try to get my food away from me. Instead you would say, 'My dear neighbor, Mrs. Black Pig, and at the same time, my dear friend, Mrs. Black Pig, may I not give you some afternoon weed or some morning vegetable or some between-time carrots?'"

"I wouldn't be myself if I said such a thing," said Mrs. Brown Pig. "You wouldn't have me change my ways, would you?"

"I would like you to change yours and have everything for me," said Mrs. Black Pig.

"That would be quite unfair," said Mrs. Brown Pig, "so I will never change my ways."

"Neither will I," said Mrs. Black Pig, "so I guess we'd best be just neighbors and leave out the part about being friends."

"Perhaps it would be wiser," said Mrs. Brown Pig, "for you would not understand the meaning of friendship."

"It's just what you wouldn't understand," said Mrs. Black Pig.

"Your idea of friendship," said Mrs. Brown Pig, "would be to have everything your own way and have everything done for you and never bother about anyone else."

"Isn't that your idea of friendship, too?" asked Mrs. Black Pig.

"Well, yes," agreed Mrs. Brown Pig. "Well, I'll tell you," said Mrs. Black Pig, "we can never become great friends in the pig family. We can get along all right, but we can't become beautiful friends, and I'll tell you the reason."

"We are selfish, and if creatures are selfish they can't really understand friendship, for friendship means doing things that are often hard as long as they're being done for one's friends, friendship means being unselfish and thinking of others and getting pleasure out of doing for others. And that is quite beyond the pig family."

"Oh, quit," said Mrs. Brown Pig. "We won't even talk about it any more, as long as you won't be the sort of friend who'll give me everything and not expect me to act friendly in return."

"But you were going to tell me what you meant by winter."

"Winter is the cold time of the year," said Mrs. Black Pig, "when we stay indoors all the time."

"Oh, I understand," said Mrs. Brown Pig. "But what difference does it make whether it is winter or not? As long as there is eating and sleeping to do the seasons make no difference."

"No difference at all," agreed Mrs. Black Pig. "Eating and sleeping are the things that make life worth while!"

His idea.

Little Sydney was very upset about his mother's headache.

"Mumma," he said, "when you have toothache, to get rid of it you have your teeth pulled out!"

"Yes, dear," wearily replied his mother.

"Well," replied Sydney, brightly, "why not have your hair pulled out to stop the headache?"



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Mrs. Parks through her attorney makes bare her Arms, People of Ada. People among whom I have lived for the past and whom I expect to spend the remainder of my life, I have been retained to represent Mrs. Annie Parks in the matter of getting a home organized on East Main street in this city. Since taking this matter as attorney I have not met with the best encouragement, and in fact have been met with many requests to desist and let this woman make her way unprotected, and inasmuch as I have met with so many discouragements from those who stand well in society, I have the permission of Mrs. Parks to make bare to the public her past life. I am glad to have her permission to do so, and having understood that a committee will be appointed from the pastors of the city, also from the commercial club of the city, I now demand that a full and complete investigation be made and that the findings be made public, and from her cradle to her grave I am in a position to show where she has lived, and what she has done for the good of humanity.

I am ready to meet any charges that may be brought, and if after a full and fair investigation it is found that Mrs. Parks is honest, fair and competent, I shall expect the people of this city to co-operate with her if her cause is found to be a worthy one, and if after a full and fair investigation she is found not to be a worthy person she will step down and out and leave the work for humanity she has begun to others. Now this is no bluff, we either want those who have seen fit to bring those charges against her to put up or shut up.

Again we demand an investigation and a report from a committee of unbiased and fair minded men and women of this city.

Yours,
R. C. ROLAND.

And if Texas does go Republican, we suppose a law will be passed permitting Republicans to serve on juries and school boards.

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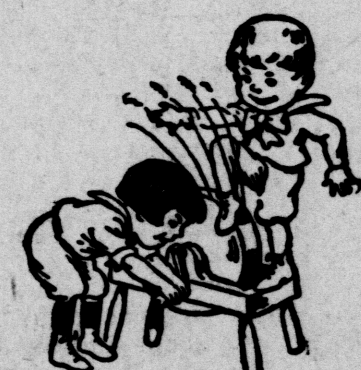
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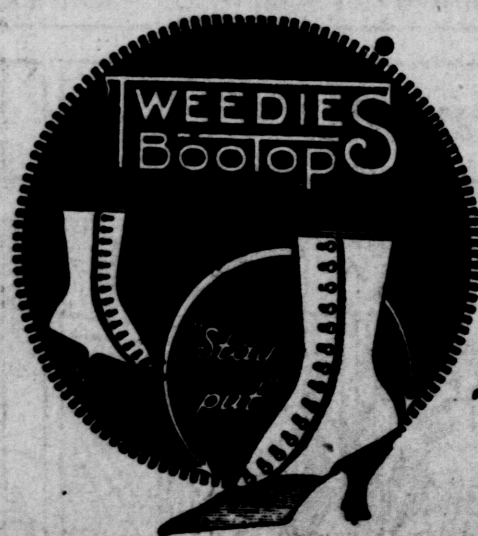
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thoroughly agree with the governor that generally speaking, the attitude of county attorneys is to try to make a record by securing a high percentage of convictions of the number of cases tried. This is natural because the public also takes that view. A theory seems to have grown up that a county attorney is a "prosecuting" attorney and that unless he convicts the people brought before him for trial he is not much of a lawyer, and naturally no county attorney desires that reputation. We believe this theory is wrong. It is the duty of a county attorney to investigate the complaints filed, and if the facts seem to justify, send the defendant to prison. But it is equally the duty of a county attorney, if he finds the facts do not sustain the charge, to decline to prosecute the defendant.

We do not believe judges are influenced in these matters so much as county attorneys are. Any judge who is, is not fitted to grace a bench. We have known one judge, and a federal judge at that, who took great pride in the fact that he tried a murder case every day for an entire term of court lasting nearly two weeks. We do not believe that a murder case can be tried and all the facts developed in one day. That judge made expediency rather than justice his hobby.

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